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## Faculty and Staff Newsletter TSU Dothan/Fort Rucker

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The Troy State University Faculty and Staff Newsletter is distributed monthly by the Office of University Affairs. It is intended to be a vehicle for the dissemination of information to employees of the University. Employees are encouraged to submit data for inclusion no later than the 25th of each month.

### DEPARTMENTAL NEWS

#### PLACEMENT OFFICE

The Placement Office will be closed September 4th-7th. Anyone needing information during this time may contact Mr. Gary Watson in Student Services at Ext. 226.

#### STUDENT SERVICES

Graduate Test Dates: GRE, October 13th; GMAT, October 20th; and NTE, October 27th. See Mrs. Pam Williamson for more information.

Registration will be September 17th and 18th from 10:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. Please check with your Department Chairman for the hours you are to work registration.

#### COMMUNITY SERVICE

Approximately 35 children participated in a reading enrichment program presented by the Children's Literature classes under the direction of Dr. Patricia Fritchie.

Dr. Fritchie will serve as the volunteer facilitator for Pensions and Security and Parents Anonymous on Child Abuse. Dr. Fritchie will work with children in the Dothan City Schools explaining child abuse through the use of puppetry.

Mrs. Gayle Oberst will speak at a local study club on September 7th and the Wiregrass Lion's Club on September 10th. She will also participate in the Pilot Club fashion show on September 13th.

#### FACULTY AND STAFF RECOGNITION

Three faculty members will be presentators at the annual conference in October of the Alabama Reading Association. Drs. Mary Jo Pollman and Lauren Mohundro will each make one presentation and Dr. Fritchie will make two presentations.

Dr. Leonard Roberts has been appointed as the State Director of the Higher Education and Vocational Education Association.

Dr. Roberts' article "Bridewell: The World's First Attempt at Prison Rehabilitation Through Education" will be published in the fall issue of the Correctional Education Journal. Dr. Roberts has also been asked to write another article for publication in the same journal.

Dr. Roberts has also been asked to review On Being a Teacher: An Introduction to the Foundations of Education for MacMillian Publishing Company.

Dr. Lester Stewart appeared on the WTVY Morning Show August 30, 1984. He discussed TSU-D/FR upcoming registration and various other activities at the University.

#### LIBRARY

The books from Lady Cliff College have begun to arrive at the Library.

Due to several unforeseen causes, the move to the new library location at the old Jones Office Supply building will be delayed until December.

#### COMMITTEES

Don't forget to return your payroll authorization for the Courtesy Committee to Mrs. Jan Anderson by September 25th. Last year 21 courtesies were extended to members of the faculty and/or staff.

#### A SPECIAL THANKS

To everyone at TSU-D/FR, I want to express my heartfelt appreciation for the lovely hanging basket I received during my recent hospitalization! It cheered me up at a time when I most needed it. Thanks to all,

Ann Easley



## DATES TO REMEMBER

September 14th . . . . .Faculty Meeting  
September 17th - 18th. . . . .Registration  
September 19th . . . . .Classes begin  
October 2nd. . . . .Last Day to Add or Drop a Course  
October 8th. . . . .Classes will not meet at Fort Rucker  
October 12th . . . . .Monday classes will meet at Fort Rucker  
November 12th . . . . .Classes will not meet at Fort Rucker  
November 16th. . . . .Monday classes will meet at Fort Rucker  
November 21st - 25th . . . . .Thanksgiving Holidays  
December 3rd - 4th . . . . .Final Exams

## NEW EMPLOYEES

There are several new members of the faculty and staff at Troy State University at Dothan/Fort Rucker. Mrs. Sara Scott and Mrs. Sandra Jones became full-time members of the faculty as of September 1st. Prior to that date they were employed on a part-time basis. Ms. Val Musslewhite and Mrs. Jackie Huber also are employed on a full-time basis now. Ms. Musslewhite began full-time on September 1st and Ms. Huber will begin full-time on October 1st.

## EMPLOYEE FEATURE

This month the LOGOS will feature three new members of the TSU faculty and/or staff.

### MR. GARY BUCHANAN

Mr. Gary Buchanan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Buchanan, will begin teaching in the CIS department this fall. Mr. Buchanan earned his bachelor's degree in Computer Science from Troy State-Dothan and his Master's degree from UAB in Computer Science. Since his graduation Mr. Buchanan has been employed at Fort Rucker as an illustrator. He said he was excited about entering the teaching profession. He will teach undergraduate computer science courses. Mr. Buchanan is a member of the Association for Computing Machinery and enjoys reading and art.

### MR. LAMAR LOFTIN

Mr. Lamar Loftin began his employment at Troy State-Dothan as the Director of Data Processing on August 6th. Mr. Loftin is from Hartford, Ala. and attended Geneva County High School and Troy State-Troy. Before joining the staff, he was employed with Fleming Foods (1975-84) as the systems programmer and with SouthTrust Bank (1971-75) as the operations supervisor. Mr. Loftin is married and has two children. He enjoys sports and coaching tee-ball and baseball.

### DR. PAUL MENGES

Dr. Paul Menges began work at Troy State-Dothan as Professor of Management on September 1, 1984. Dr. Menges earned his Ph.D. in Business from the University of Northern Colorado at Greeley and has been involved in education and industry for approximately thirty years. Dr. Menges was employed at Delta State University prior to his appointment at Troy State. Dr. Menges is a member of several professional organizations including Delta Sigma Phi and is a member of the 32nd Degree Masons and the First Christian Church of Dothan. He is also a former Rotarian. Dr. Menges has published several articles in national professional journals and is currently working with Dr. Wilkinson in writing a management textbook. Dr. Menges will be teaching graduate courses at Fort Rucker in the Fall.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

There will be a general faculty meeting on September 14th in the Ballroom of Houston Hall. The meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m. and all faculty members are expected to attend. The departmental meeting will follow the general faculty meeting.

Mr. Nolan Williams was elected to the State Board of Education for this district and will serve in that capacity for the next two years.

Mrs. Lana Ward is now selling Peanut Festival Tickets for the following: Football Game, October 6th; Fair Grounds, October 13th-27th and the Saturday Concert featuring Shellie West and David Frizzell. The tickets are on sale in the Business Office during normal business hours.

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